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TITLE/SIGNIFICANCE:

Previously unarmed Soviet trawler/intelligence collectors (AGI) outfitted with ASW weapons.

COMMENT: A Mayak Class AGI armed with ASW weapons was seen at Polyarnyy Submarine Base and another at Tallinn in the Baltic. They were armed with four 16-inch ASW torpedo tubes, arranged similarly to those on the Poti Class PCE. Four RBU-1800 rocket assisted depth charge launchers were mounted on the forecastle similar to those on the SO-1 Class PCS, and a twin-mounted 25MM/80AA gun was forward of the bridge. This makes three previously unarmed Soviet trawler/intelligence collectors so outfitted seen within the last year. The first was an unidentified trawler, seen at Sevastopol Naval Base.

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LOCATION(S)

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Sevastopol Naval Base

Polyarnyy Submarine Base

Tallinn Naval Base & Shipyard

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